

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**IN THE SPECIFICATION:****Page 18**

Please amend paragraph [0027] (page 18, lines 16 to 22) as follows:

[0027] wherein R^1 represents a divalent group represented by the formula: $-(CH_2)_m-$ wherein m is an integer of from 2 to 6, and at least one hydrogen atom of R^1 is optionally replaced by at least one substituent group selected from the group consisting of a C_{1-10} alkyl group and ~~an~~ a C_{6-10} aryl group, and

Please amend paragraph [0028] (page 18, line 24 to page 19, line 6) as follows:

[0028] $R^2OR^1OCOOR^2$ (2)

wherein R^1 is as defined above for formula (1), R^2 represents a C_{1-12} monovalent aliphatic group, and at least one hydrogen atom of R^2 is optionally replaced by at least one substituent group selected from the group consisting of a C_{1-10} alkyl group and ~~an~~ a C_{6-10} aryl group.